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DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

National Institute of Standards and Technology

Change of Publication Manner for Invention Licenses

AGENCY: National Institute of Standards and Technology, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY:

Currently, the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST) publishes notices of prospective exclusive, co-exclusive or partially exclusive domestic or foreign licenses of Government owned inventions in the *Federal Register*. NIST is announcing that it will begin publishing such notices at FEDBIZOPPS.GOV (<https://www.fbo.gov/>), providing opportunity for filing written objections within at least a 15-day period.

ADDRESSES:

Questions related to this notice may be submitted to NIST, Technology Partnerships Office, 100 Bureau Drive, Stop 2200, Gaithersburg, MD 20899, or emailed to donald.archer@nist.gov.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 404.7(a)(1)(i), an exclusive, co-exclusive or partially exclusive domestic license, and, pursuant to 37 CFR 404.7(b)(1)(i), an exclusive, co-exclusive or partially exclusive foreign license, may be granted on Government owned inventions only if notice of a

prospective license has been published in the Federal Register or other appropriate manner, providing opportunity for filing written objections within at least a 15-day period.

NIST provides notice that it will publish future notices of prospective exclusive, co-exclusive or partially exclusive domestic or foreign licenses in FEDBIZOPPS.GOV (<https://www.fbo.gov/>), providing opportunity for filing written objections within at least a 15-day period.

Authority: 35 U.S.C. 200 *et seq.*

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